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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method for the treatment of a renal disorder[[s]] in a mammal suffering therefrom, comprising administering to the mammal ~~a therapeutically effective~~ an amount effective for treating the renal disorder of standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* as an immunoadjuvant, in conjunction with conventional therapy, wherein the renal disorder is a complicated or uncomplicated chronic recurrent urinary tract infection.
2. (Cancelled)
3. (Currently amended) The method of claim [[2]] 1, wherein the chronic recurrent urinary tract infection [[is]] occurs due to relapsing bacterial infection.
4. (Currently amended) The method of claim 3, wherein the chronic recurrent urinary tract infection [[is]] occurs due to relapsing *E. coli* and *Klebsiella* infections.
5. (Cancelled)
6. (Cancelled)
7. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* acts as an immunoadjuvant in the treatment of chronic recurrent urinary tract infections in the mammal, in conjunction with conventional antibacterial therapy.
8. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the conventional therapy for recurrent urinary tract infections includes the use of at least one antibacterial agent selected from the group consisting of ciprofloxacin, ofloxacin, norfloxacin, trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole, amoxicillin, nitrofurantoin, ampicillin and lomefloxacin.

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9. (Canceled)

10. (Canceled)

11. (Canceled)

12. (Cancelled).

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Withdrawn) A pharmaceutical composition, comprising a therapeutically effective amount of standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

15. (Currently amended) A method for the treatment of a renal disorder[[s]] in a mammal suffering therefrom, comprising administering to [[said]] the mammal ~~a therapeutically effective~~ an amount effective for treating the renal disorder of [[the]] a pharmaceutical composition [[of claim 14 .]] comprising a therapeutically effective amount of standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier , wherein the renal disorder is a chronic recurrent urinary tract infection, both complicated and uncomplicated.

16. (Withdrawn) A pharmaceutical composition, comprising a therapeutically effective amount of standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* in combination with at least one other herbal constituent.

17. (Withdrawn) A method of improving the effectiveness of an agent for treating renal disorders, comprising administering an effective amount of standardized extract of *Tinospora cordifolia* to a mammal undergoing treatment with the agent for treating renal disorders.

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18. (New) The method of claim 15, wherein the composition acts as an immunoadjuvant in the treatment of chronic recurrent urinary tract infection in the mammal, in conjunction with conventional antibacterial therapy.
19. (New) The method of claim 18, wherein the conventional antibacterial therapy includes the use of at least one antibacterial agent selected from the group consisting of ciprofloxacin, ofloxacin, norfloxacin, trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole, amoxicillin, nitrofurantoin, ampicillin and lomefloxacin.